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FOR THE SECRETARY

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR UK SF
SUBJECT: FOREIGN SECRETARY'S SPEECH ON SOUTH AFRICA

REF: LONDON 8799

1. WE BELIEVE FOREIGN SECRETARY'S MAY 25 SPEECH TO THE UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION IN LONDON REPRESENTS A MAJOR EFFORT BY OWEN PUBLICLY TO BRING HMG'S SOUTHERN AFRICA POLICY INTO CLOSE LINE WITH OUR OWN. WE RECOMMEND A BRIEF LETTER FROM SECRETARY VANCE TO OWEN CONGRATULATING HIM ON HIS ADDRESS.

2. SUGGESTED TEXT:

DEAR DAVID, I HAVE JUST SEEN REPORTS OF YOUR SPEECH ON WEDNESDAY TO THE UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION IN LONDON. IT IS A FORCEFUL AND ELOQUENT STATEMENT ON BOTH HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOUTHERN AFRICA. I AM DELIGHTED YOU HAVE ASSOCIATED THE UNITED STATES WITH YOUR REMARKS.
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I LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN PARIS. BEST WISHES,
CY. END TEXT

3. FULL TEXT OF OWEN'S SPEECH SENT BY SEPTTEL.

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